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Khiyah's

Scrapbook

'98 - '00

Khiyah House Homepage

Khiyah House

President: Elizabeth Howard

History:
Khiyah House, a women's residence hall house, began in the 1994 fall semester. The house was created due to the expansion of residence space for women with the reopening of Walker Hall that fall. On the day the house's members were scheduled to select a tentative name, house president Kristi Hettrick told English faculty member Barbara Hiles Mesle that she wasn't excited about any of the proposed names. Mesle suggested the name "Khiyah", which means "Mother Earth" in Hebrew. The word is also similar to a Swahili term meaning "season of beginnings". The house symbol adopted during the first year involved three interlocking diamonds (a Nordic symbol for heavenly power), promoting Khiyah's environmental theme.

'98-'99

Meet the New Girls

Hey, we found the boys dorms :)

GSG!

We ♡

Steve

AMY

HEIDI

SHANNON

NORMA

SHANNON

JOLYN

KAREY

NIKKI

AMY

What Beautiful Khiyah Women!

Induction Night

Make new friends...

House Council

... but keep the old.

Molly, Teresa, & Brenna
Secret Sisters

A great beginning!

Happy 4th Birthday Khiyah!

Molly & Steve

David

What clowns!

Open House

Twist -N- Shout

Wilkins & Nikki

Bottoms up!

Spirit Night

These Sexy Mamma's Won $50

Hangin' Out With Friends

Amy & Terra

Brenna & Becky

Julie

Sarah

Oops! Trevor's in trouble.

Bowlin' w/ Faunce

What fun guys :)

Del in the New Year's Dance Contest

Black Tie Affair

Brenna & Jessica

Trevor, Sarah, Nikki, Adrien

Show us some leg girls!

SNOW

Heidi, Jo, & Amy make 'Mr. Perfect'

Sarah

our only candle-passing all year!

Everybody loves Sarah!

awesome cresents!

Hooked On You!

Passing the time at function

Becky's crippled by her crush :

← Becky's Masterpiece

* Fly girls *

Brenna looks like she's on drugs!

Surprise

Senada

where are they going in such a hurry?

Shannon O., Brenna, Traci

Smile, you're on candid camera

THE BELL

Jolyn & Mel share their artistic abilities.

Just another Friday night in Lamoni

Closing Ceremony 1999

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WELCOME

KHIYAH GIRLS

"99-00"

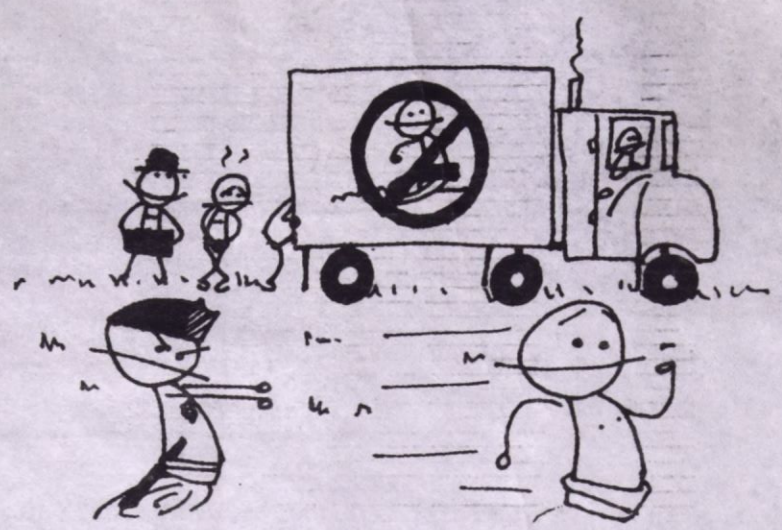
Not So Fun Runs

By Jill Dulyea

In the early hours of the morning, the loud sounds of a "fun run" echo outside. These fun runs have contributed to much of the gossip going around on the Graceland campus in past years, and they seem to add a some spice to life on our small campus. After all, this kind of activity doesn't occur everyday.

Shared experiences contribute to the fun of college, and many of these experiences occur within a hall. Even though there are specific activities and events hall members do together, fun runs seem to be a more outgoing way to unify a hall.

Perhaps fun runs are a way to bring a hall closer together, but students may not think of the consequences and problems. Some people feel uncomfortable participating in these jaunts. In fact, they make up excuses or make other plans in order not to participate. Others have been known to move off campus because of the constant pressure from their hall to become involved. Their hall may pester them and make fun of them because they are not willing to participate, but other halls have been known to let people decide who will go. They respect the fact that some do not want to participate.



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Many students enjoy the challenge fun runs offer. Running in the nude and trying to remain anonymous makes the adrenaline pump. Those who do not participate, however, may be disturbed as they study or sleep. Sophomore Evan Hrabak wonders, "Who has complained about them? If someone is studying and sees a nude person in front of their window, I think they'd appreciate that study break."

It may be all fun and good, but there have been times when incidents of profanity, obnoxious behavior (such as chasing after the nude runners), and profane sexual comments occured. Although this may not bother some people, many others are offended. Residence hall directors are torn by the harshness students have diected amongst themselves. It is difficult to keep the halls calm and under control with such few directors. Graybill Hall Director Ivan Joseph said that fun runs "are illegal, and therefore should be stopped."

To help students better understand the consequences fun runs have, on September 28 a joint house meeting of all of the men's hall was held in Zimmerman Hall. There they received a briefing that included fun runs. The general message was that they are offensive, disruptive, and must stop immediately.

After meeting with Tom Powel, dean of students, Residence Life has proposed a guideline for all house activities. This guideline will help the house presidents guide and unify the halls without pressure. The intention is to create a safe environment for all students to have fun. Not only will activities have a purpose and value, but they will also build individual worth.

"Graceland is in favor of having fun," says Marian Kilpack, Director of Residence Life, "and being in a secluded area, Graceland wants to provide fun, safe activities for all students."

Even though authorities can't keep watch all the time, Marian Kilpack hopes that "all students will use their best judgement." ❖

I didn't do it!!

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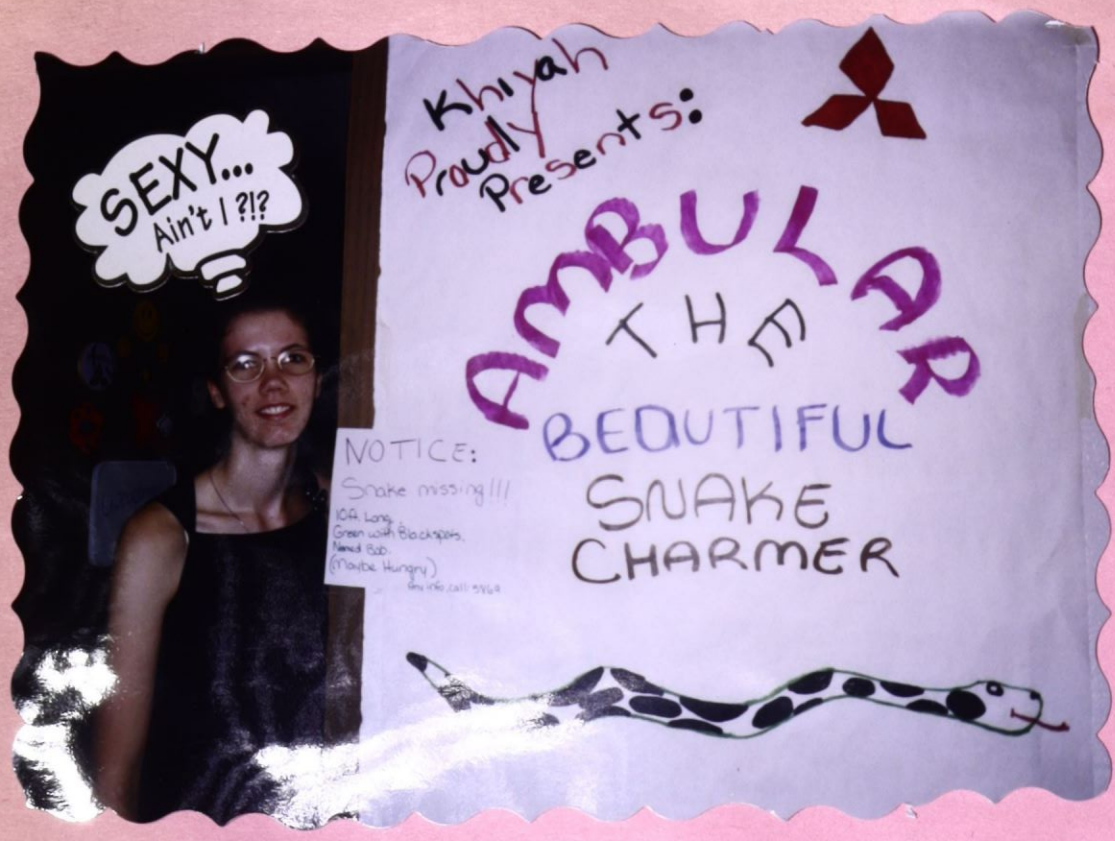
SEXY... Ain't I ?!?
Khiyah Proudly Presents:
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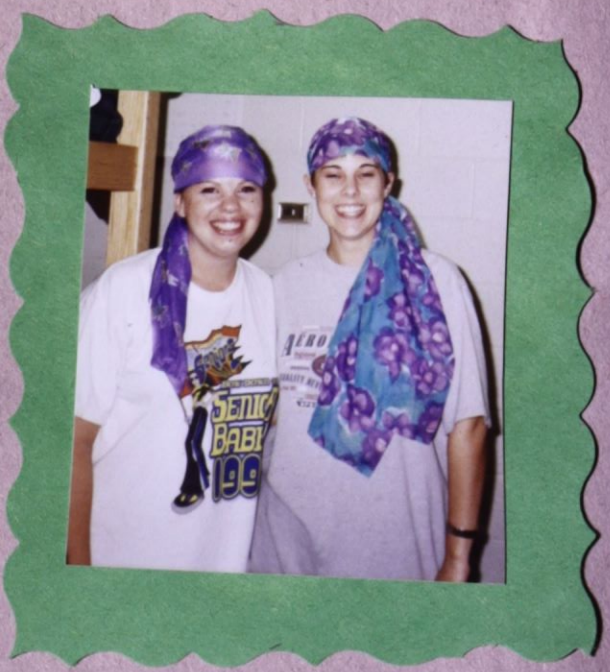
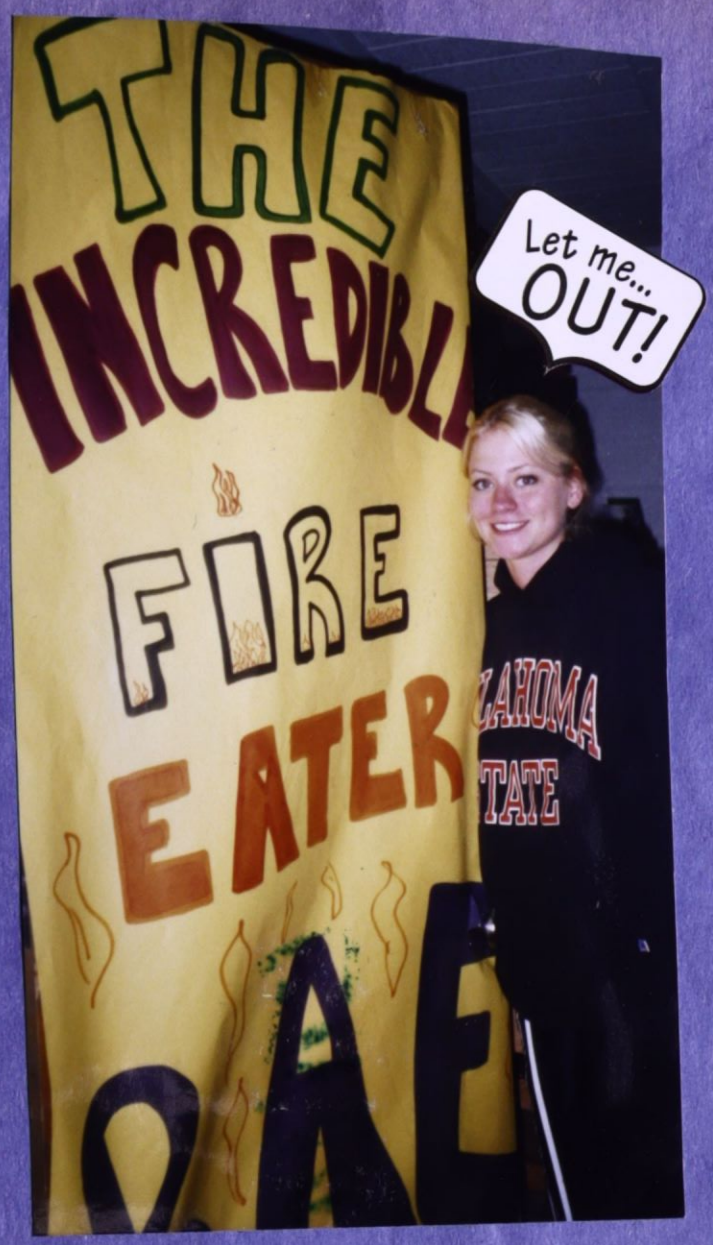


Don't try this at home!

I'M GONNA GET YOU

The Greatest Hall on Earth



Khiyah ♥'s
Women's V-ball!

Khiyah
Women's V-ball!

All this beauty... and brains... TOO!!!

HOMECOMING COURT

1999

Brenna Hunt

"I'm glad to be accepted in the Graceland community and proud to represent my house," says Brenna of her nomination. Being a part of Khiyah house, Brenna has learned a lot about herself. The many personalities that make up her house have contributed to how well rounded Brenna has become. Being a member of COSA, the guitar club, and house president, are factors that have influenced her well being. Brenna has a positive outlook on life and is school spirited. "Ten members in my immediate family have attended here," says Brenna. Majoring in Information Technology with concentration in Business, Brenna hopes to keep her family tradition of attending Graceland alive.

Khiyahs Own.....

Faces in the Crowd: Assia Dosseva

By Mark Mesle

Assia Dosseva's face does not blend into a crowd. Not only because she is a beautiful brown-eyed Bulgarian woman, but because her constant smile reveals the warmth of her soul. Gifted with diverse talents and a reflective perspective on the world, Assia is extraordinarily unique.

At the age of 17, Assia left her hometown of Sofia, a city nestled in the mountains of eastern Europe, to spend three months traveling throughout 23 states in the US with the Bulgarian Children's Choir. While performing with the elite group at a small liberal arts college called Graceland, she was struck by the "feeling of community and belonging." Four years later, when she decided that she wanted a college education in America, it was Graceland that was chosen to be her new home. With the financial help from Graceland, as well as a family Assia had spent only four days with while on tour in San Fransico over four years ago, she was able to leave the home that she loves for a new beginning here in Lamoni.

Pushed towards the arts by her mother as a child, Assia sings, acts, writes, and began playing piano at age 5. In exploring her many talents she has come to define her "concept of being alive as being involved in different activities." With a gentle grin she told me that "I'm developing in various directions and I wish to grow as much as

possible. Back home," she said, "You are limited by the education system to a single department where as at Graceland, I have the freedom to choose diversity. The intimacy between teacher and students here is revolutionary as well, compared to Bulgaria and Europe in general."

As a member of Khiyah House, Assia has felt as if she has become "a part of family." Free to be herself, she has taken a great deal of comfort in the feeling of belonging that the women around her have created. Assia also has had the benefit of connecting with several other Bulgarian students on campus. As a link to the world she left behind, Asya "embraced the international community from the beginning."

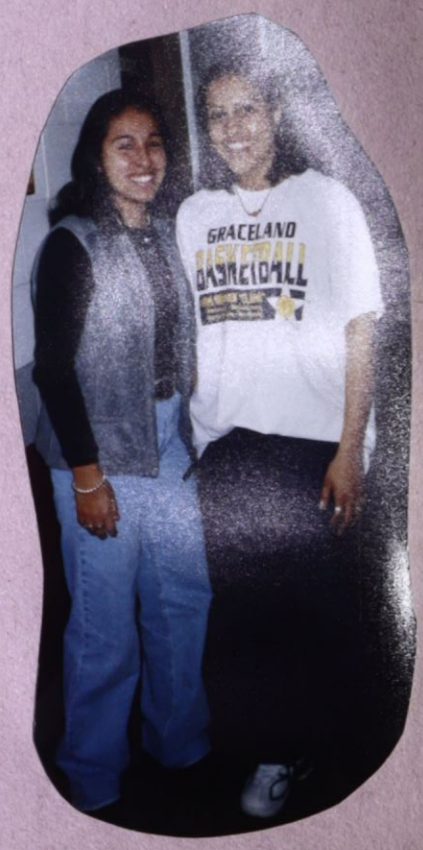
While it is strange to be unable to remain anonymous at Graceland, Assia is "absolutely fascinated by the friendly atmosphere of mutual care here. People here inspire me towards kindness through the sincere reaction of gratitude that they display." From the moment you meet her, Assia's natural confidence simply puts you at ease. One night, Assia spent three and half hours comforting a new friend on campus, and Assia's sincere concern was returned with a painting and a simple thank you note attached.

In speaking of her Bulgarian home, it is obvious that Assia's affection for the people and land of birth run deep within her. She points with pride to the pictures of her parents and younger sister above her desk who she keeps in contact with through e-mail and an occasional phone call. Unfortunately, Bulgaria feels like "a mad house because of the country's desperate economic condition."

"While the people are kind and loving, they seldom smile because they literally have nothing to eat. Because we give to one another freely," said Assia with sadness in here eyes, "and are such an intelligent culture, it hurts even more to know that people are trapped in a constant struggle for the necessities of life."

After the fall of the communist system in Bulgaria ten years ago, Assia is hopeful "that through religion and culture we will survive as we always have." In coming closer to her own personal identity, Assia took advantage of the religious freedom she now has back home to be baptized two months ago as an Orthodox Christian. But she feels that the culture that is keeping her country together is not firm. "We are losing our culture identity right before my eyes as the nation's youth turn away from our traditions such as folk music, and begin losing themselves in Western culture."

Assia Dosseva is a remarkable woman. She discusses politics as well as love with a great deal of passion and thoughtfulness. While she has lived in a world in which life itself can be a struggle, and she has that spark which allows her to savor life's goodness. She takes great pride in who she is and seems destined to brighten the world around her wherever she goes. ❖



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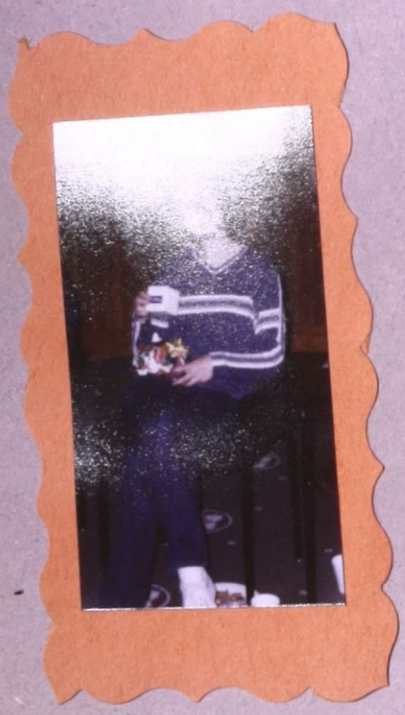


ELEPHANT

Please Join Us For

A Khiyah Christmas

on Tuesday December the 7th, 1999

preceeding house meeting

@ 9:00 p.m.

in the

Heritage Chapel

*We will be having a "White Elephant Gift Exchange" during the party, so please bring an old gift that is wrapped. If you have any questions, come see April Jasek-room 104.

*There will be treats and drinks provided.

Do you think it's the end?

By Danielle Hamlett

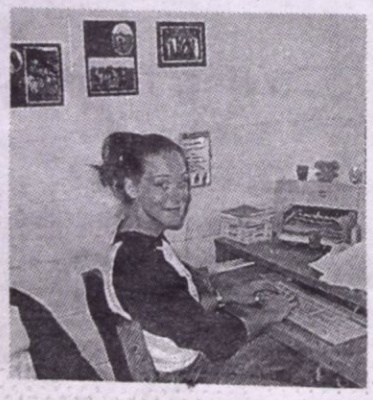
Where will you be when the clock strikes midnight on January 1st of 2000? Will you be partying, locked in an underground bomb shelter, sitting in your living room with your family, or sleeping? Wherever you are, or whatever you are doing, the question still remains, "What will happen when the next millenium approaches?"

Afraid that some nuclear explosion or severe rioting will take place, consumers are stocking up on Velveeta, canned Span, and tuna fish. Others believe that something will happen but they are unsure of what the world will offer when the time comes. Then there are the free spirits that believe things will stay as they are and nothing will change. Whatever you believe, it is most certain that the world will be different in one way or another whether it be economically, emotionally, or just the fact that it is a whole new millenium, and the world will start new with no mistakes.

The Y2K bug is another feared catastrophe of the next millenium. Will everything stop when the countdown reaches midnight? Will computers crash? Can we drive in the streets without worry of crashing into other drivers, due to the lack of stop lights? No one really knows what to expect when the minute arrives. Many computer analysts believe the bug is simple to replace but this remains to be unseen, of course until that vital minute when the ball crashes down on Time Square.

Nostradamus, a French prophet, predicted that the world would end at the begging of a new millenium. Is he right? Will there really be a WW III? Only time will tell. "I believe that everyone has their own opinion, and I feel that nothing will happen when the time strikes midnight. There may be rioting because of ignorance, but if everyone stays calm it will be alright," Theresa Kanmacker said. "I am going to be at home having a little party for my family and friends," she included. Theresa is not the only one with this same view. Brenna Hunt exclaimed, "I feel that things will remain the same throughout the world. Large cities may find problems because of riots and chaos. I will be at home with my family and boyfriend when the clock strikes twelve," she added.

"The world ending? Oh no, nothing like that will happen," JJ Musgrove and Troy Hebblethwaite said. "I believe the only thing that will change is that Dick Clarke will get a gray hair." There you have it, folks. What will happen when the countdown begins and everyone holds their breathe to see if the world will really explode into thin air? Who really knows? The one thing we can keep is our humor, so laugh and continue with your happy lives and don't forget to make you New Years Resolutions.



Left: Brenna Hunt

Middle: J. J. Musgrove (with Troy Hebblethwaite)

Right: Theresa Kanmacher

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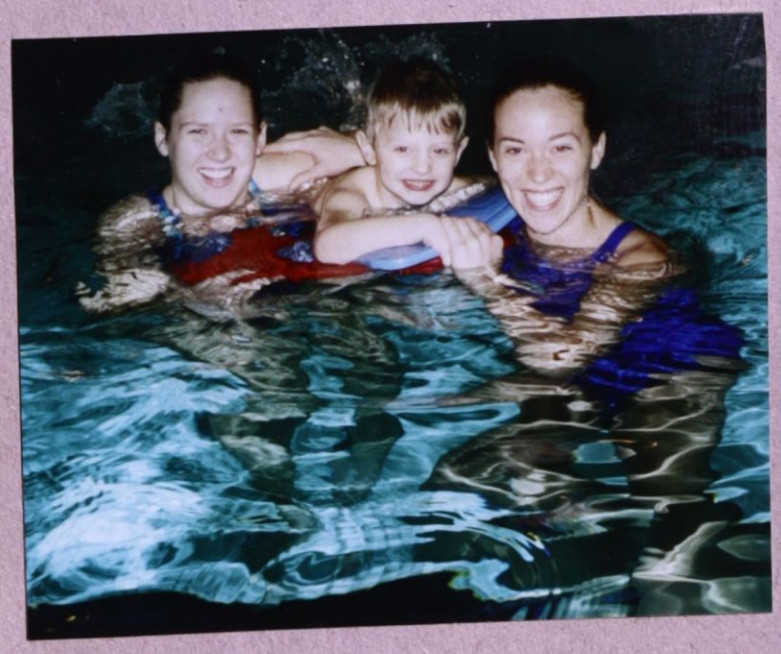
WINTER TERM....



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RESULTS OF THE NCAA TOURNAMENT

Congratulations to the following winners!!

Men's NCAA Tournament
1st Place: Jo Logan
2nd Place: Jeff Oatman
3rd Place: Marcy Cody

Women's NCAA Tournament
1st Place: Andrew Hagman
2nd Place: Tom Powell
3rd Place: Annie Lindemann

The results are posted in the Student Center Main Room.
Thanks to everyone for playing!

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Annie Lindemann equaled her season best in the pole vault with a height of 10' 4". The junior from Honolulu, Hawaii took second overall and is ranked ninth in the NAIA. Lindemann finished seventh at the NAIA Indoor Championships a year ago with a personal-best vault of 10' 6".

Kristy Feldman led the women's 4x800m relay to a NAIA provisional mark (9:53.30) by

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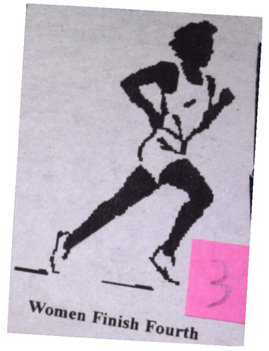

Women Finish Fourth

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st place: "Silent Cries" by Heather Clemon

He stares at her pictures, he calls out her name.
The memories are painful, he is going insane.
He thinks of her kindness, he longs for her touch.
He tries to remember, but it's sometimes too much.
He thinks of their love, and how happy they were.
How he loved to live life, how it was all about her.
He stares at her pictures, it was so long ago.
Now he is prepared to leave, he is ready to go.
He has to leave this place, he sees no other way
How else will he make this pain go away?
He picks up his weapon, he holds it to his head,
He knows in moment he will soon be dead.
She stares at his pictures, she cries out his name.
She knows that her life will never be the same.

If there were anyone in this world i'd choose to follow,
if there were anyone i'd come to for advice,
if there were anyone who'd really pay attention
to all of my worries, and listen to my cries,
if there was someone out there watching
ready to catch me when i fall,
I know my mom would be there
Whatever the problem – big or small.

I could not ask for a better mentor,
someone to count on and depend.
And when life hits me really hard
I could not ask for a better friend.
She has always been there watching
every single move I make.
And when she leaves for that "better place"

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Intramurals,
Matt Koehn

Flag football got off to a smashing start this week. In womens' action, Khiyah and Sariah have both gotten off to a fast start. Both teams are 2-0 and have outscored their opponents by a combined 112-0. Hanthorne and Solah are also both undefeated at 1-0. A key matchup next week pits Sariah vs. Khiyah on Monday at 5:15.

In men's A-League football, Cheville and Agape sit atop the field, each at 2-0. The early-season top ranking may be on the line when those two teams meet on Tuesday at 4:15. Closson and Faunce are both 1-1.

B-League games have been the most competetive thus far, as half of the games completed have been decided by fewer than two touchdowns. However, Closson has been the hall to beat as both their A and B teams are 2-0. Much of the success can be attributed to Jeff Manuel's fresh legs (from skipping volleyball). Aaron is also undefeated at 1-0. The best match-up for next week should be Closson I vs. Aaron on Thursday at 5:15.

Note: All records and results are as of Wednesday, 9/15.

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Honorable Mention: "The Game" by Janae Hale

A life of guilt,
A world of shame.
They live and grow,
With hurt and pain.

They don't know the prices,
So innocent and free.
The roll the dice,
Unable to see,

The dark side of luck,
Blowing out the flame.
But first,
let's wait 'til you join in the game.

Think first of pleasure,
Suffer pain later on.
There's no chance to gamble,
The cards have been drawn.

You get in too deep,
You take it too far.
A nightmare, no sleep,
You carry the scar.

Drowning in the dark,
The devil's there.
He hunts like a shark,
He's ruthless to dare.

Entangled within him
In the hours of the night,
The guilt begins
With morning's dim light.

He took your hope with him,
Your soul flew away.
Your life has been buried

Your feelings don't matter,
Emotions; who cares?
If he gets what he wants,
He won't split the shares.

He takes all the pleasure,
Leaving you all alone.
Everyone talks,
And you can't stay strong.

He doesn't look evil,
He's worse than just mean.
He's handsome and caring,
Your perfect daydream.

You thought that he loved yo
It just was so real!
And now he doesn't
Understand how you feel.

All's fair in love,
But war follows behind.
You thought it was good,
Now hate's all you find.

It's too late to go back
so live with your choice,
And try to ignore
That deep inner voice.

A life of guilt,
A world of shame.
There's no hope now,
You're lost in the game.

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All-Tournament Team:
MVP-Abbey Bullington-Paloma
Iria Relvas-Shalom

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Claudia Hryniewicz-Shalom
Tracy Parkhurst-Sariah
Dawn Gottsch-Sariah
Molly Hambright-Khiyah/Leilani
Jill Ettleman-Aponivi

Other finishers for the Yellowjackets: Tiffani Ford (28th, 22:39), Heather Emslie (32nd, 23:23), Amy Wiltse (33rd, 23:40), Heidi Musters (34th, 24:06), and Amanda Mantz (47th, 27:59).

The HAAC Championships

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I'M COOL!

I'M SUCH A GOOD CAT

I NEED A DATE!

I'M SUCH A GOOD DOG

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I NEED A VACATION

I LOVE MY MASTER

NO COMMENT

I DESERVE A TREAT

ARF, ARF

WHO'S UGLY?

I LIKE PEOPLE'S FOOD

I'M A LEAN-MEAN MACHINE

GO AWAY!

I'M SO CUTE!

I WANT FOOD RIGHT NOW!

AIN'T I BEAUTIFUL?

I ♡ MY DOG!

SCRATCH MY BELLY

YOU SICK 'EM! I'M TOO TIRED!

FEED ME I'M HUNGRY

I ♡ MY CAT!

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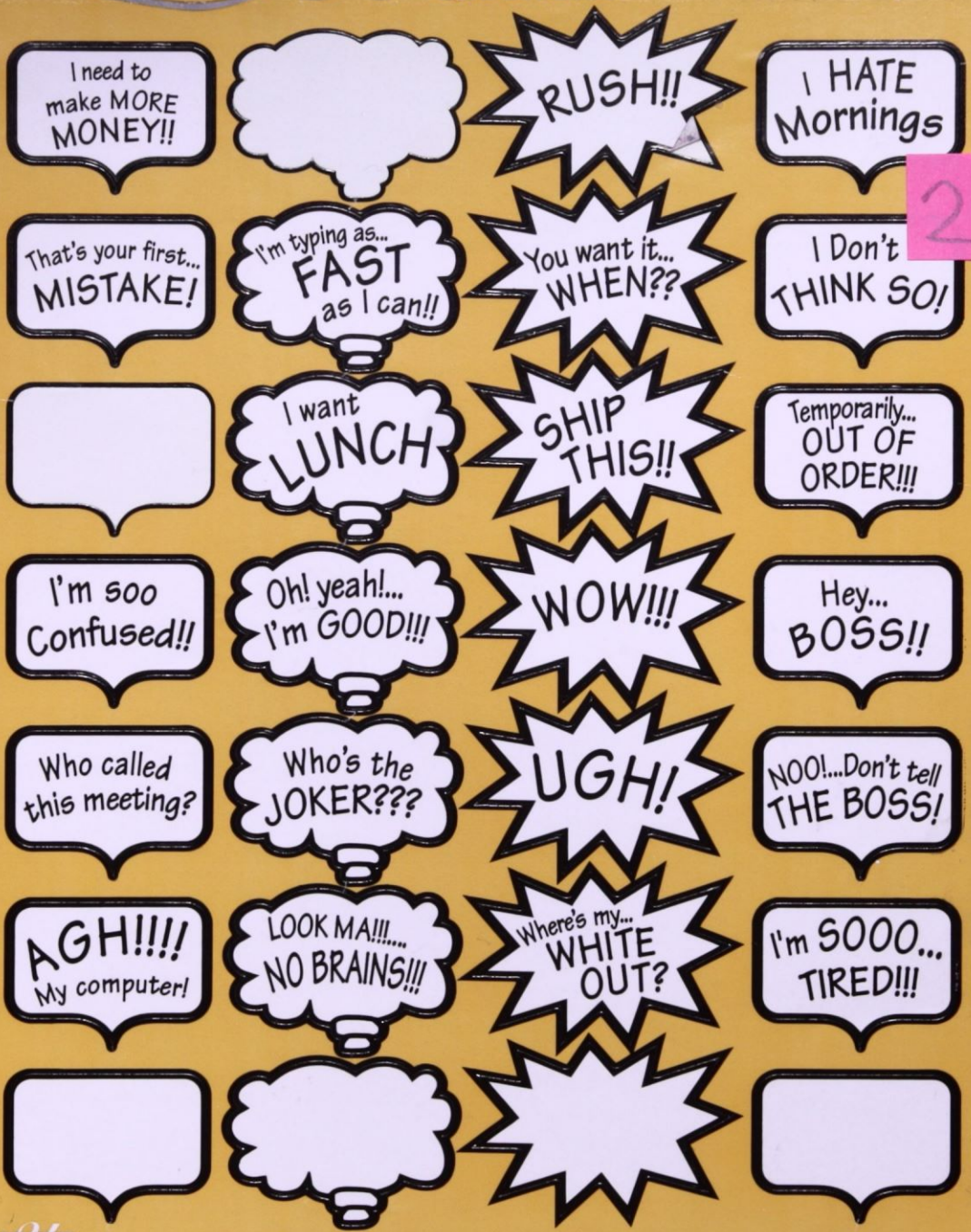

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